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Serial No.:	09/770,765	)
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For:	BANDWIDTH OPTIMIZATION	)

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination of the application, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendment.

## IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 1-21 and add new claims 22-42 as follows:

A | SwbC7 22. A method of frame rate buffering comprising: